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# UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL

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Attorney Docket No.	10384CONT
First Inventor	Ira J. Simon
Title	Anti-Vandal Door Lock Apparatus
Express Mail Label No.	ER 632143421 US

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## APPLICATION ELEMENTS

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- ☒ Applicant claims small entity status.  
See 37 CFR 1.27.
- ☒ Specification [Total Pages 32]  
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  - Descriptive title of the invention
  - Cross Reference to Related Applications
  - Statement Regarding Fed sponsored R & D
  - Reference to sequence listing, a table, or a computer program listing appendix
  - Background of the Invention
  - Brief Summary of the Invention
  - Brief Description of the Drawings (if filed)
  - Detailed Description
  - Claim(s)
  - Abstract of the Disclosure
- ☒ Drawing(s) (35 U.S.C. 113) [Total Sheets 6]
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(for continuation/divisional with Box 18 completed)
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Signed statement attached deleting inventor(s) name in the prior application, see 37 CFR 1.63(d)(2) and 1.33(b).
- ☒ Application Data Sheet. See 37 CFR 1.76

- ☐ CD-ROM or CD-R in duplicate, large table or Computer Program (Appendix)
- Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission (if applicable, all necessary)
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## ACCOMPANYING APPLICATION PARTS

- ☐ Assignment Papers (cover sheet & document(s))
- ☒ 37 CFR 3.73(b) Statement (when there is an assignee) ☒ Power of Attorney
- ☐ English Translation Document (if applicable)
- ☒ Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)/PTO-1449 ☐ Copies of IDS Citations
- ☐ Preliminary Amendment
- ☒ Return Receipt Postcard (MPEP 503)  
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- ☐ Certified Copy of Priority Document(s)  
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- ☒ Other: Preliminary Remarks

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☒ Continuation ☐ Divisional ☐ Continuation-in-part (CIP) of prior application No.: 09/917,019

Prior application information:

Examiner Gall, Lloyd A.

Art Unit: 3676

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Re: New Patent Application of: Ira J. Simon and Martin S. Simon  
Continuation of Serial No. 09/917,019  
Title: Anti-Vandal Door Lock Apparatus  
Attorney Docket 10384CONT

Sir:

Enclosed for filing is the above-referenced continuation patent application, 6 sheets of formal drawings, Utility Patent Application Transmittal, Application Data Sheet, Preliminary Remarks, copy of Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney filed in parent Application S.N. 09/917,019, Statement Under 37 CFR 3.73(b) filed in parent Application S.N. 09/917,019, Power of Attorney, Information Disclosure Statement, Patent Application Fee Determination Record, and a check in the amount of \$385.00 to cover the application filing fee. If the enclosed fee is deficient in any manner, please charge any such deficiency to Deposit Account No. 23-0822.

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<b>PATENT APPLICATION FEE DETERMINATION RECORD</b>						Application or Docket Number <b>10384CONT</b>							
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<b>CLAIMS AS FILED – PART I</b>						<b>SMALL ENTITY</b>		<b>OR</b>		<b>OTHER THAN SMALL ENTITY</b>			
(Column 1)		(Column 2)				RATE		FEE					
FOR		NUMBER FILED		NUMBER EXTRA									
BASIC FEE (37 CFR 1.18(a))								\$385					
TOTAL CLAIMS (37 CFR 1.16(c))		20	minus 20 =	• 0		x \$9 =		0		OR x \$ =			
INDEPENDENT CLAIMS (37 CFR 1.16(b))		2	minus 3 =	• 0		x \$43 =		0		OR x \$ =			
MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM PRESENT (37 CFR 1.16(d))						+ \$ =				OR + \$ =			
						TOTAL		385.00		OR TOTAL			
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(Column 1)		(Column 2)		(Column 3)		RATE		ADDI- TIONAL FEE		RATE		ADDI- TIONAL FEE	
AMENDMENT A	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT			HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA								
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